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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

GROUP: 3723

Tomoyuki KAWASHITA

SERIAL NO: 10/614,810

EXAMINER: NGUYEN, DUNG V

FILED: July 9, 2003

FOR: GRINDING TOOL, AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTION  
CONDITIONS OF GRINDING SURFACE OF THE SAME

**APPLICATION OF PREVIOUSLY PAID ISSUE FEE IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1308.01 MPEP**

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P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

The above-identified application was withdrawn from Issue after payment of the Issue Fee in the amount of \$1670.00 (Issue Fee \$1370.00 + Pub. Fee \$300.00). Enclosed is a Credit Card Form in the amount of \$30.00 to include the increase in the Issue Fee.

The application has now been allowed again and since a refund of the previously paid Issue Fee has not been requested, it is now requested that the previously paid Issue Fee be applied to the Issue Fee being paid herewith. Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Notice of Withdrawal from Issue.

Respectfully Submitted,

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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL  
FROM ISSUE  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(b)

The above-identified application is hereby withdrawn from issue after payment of the issue fee due to unpatentability of one or more claims. See 37 CFR 1.313(b)(3). Consideration of the prior art submitted in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 19, 2004 (after allowance but prior to payment of the Issue Fee) showed that one or more claims are unpatentable.

The issue fee is refundable upon written request. If, however, the application is again found allowable, the issue fee can be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due upon written request. This request and any balance due must be received on or before the due date noted in the new Notice of Allowance in order to prevent abandonment of the application.

Telephone inquiries should be directed to Joseph Hail, SPE, Art Unit 3723 at (571) 272-4485. The above-identified application is being forwarded to the examiner for prompt appropriate action, including notifying applicant of the new status of this application.

  
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